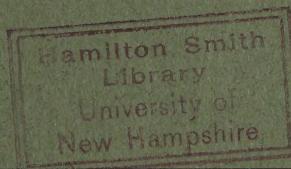


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of the
TOWN OF MERRIMACK
New Hampshire



For the Year Ending
January 31, 1927

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Selectmen and Other Town Officers

OF THE

TOWN OF MERRIMACK NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31,
1927

With the Report of the School Board

ALSO

VITAL STATISTICS

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1926

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TOWN OFFICERS

Representative to General Court

NORRIS E. HENDERSON

Moderator

NORRIS E. HENDERSON

Town Clerk

DAVID R. JONES

Town Treasurer

NORRIS E. HENDERSON

Selectmen

GEORGE W. CARROLL

JOHN PONTBRIAND

WALT M. GOODALE

Trustees of Trust Funds

OSGOOD F. UPHAM

IBRA A. FOSTER

ARTHUR G. GORDON

Highway Agents

WILLIAM P. McQUESTION

GUY B. WATKINS

Auditors

CHARLES F. YOUNG, FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE

Supervisors of Checklist

HARRISON E. HERRICK

ALBA J. JONES

ANGUS MORRISON

Tax Collector

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

Constables

LEON F. CENTER

FRANK R. FLANDERS

JOSEPH D. GAUTHIER

Budget Committee

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

CLARENCE I. WEBSTER

WILLIAM P. McQUESTION

Fire Department

CHIEF JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

ASSISTANT CHIEF ARTHUR G. GORDON

SECRETARY NORRIS E. HENDERSON

Forest Fire Warden

ARTHUR G. GORDON

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

GEORGE W. CARROLL

EDWARD W. CARTER

NORRIS E. HENDERSON

BERT L. PEASLEE

HERBERT E. LINSCOTT

Health Officer

DR. EDWARD M. PARKER

Library Trustees

JOHN E. HASELTINE
EDITH W. FOSS
OSGOOD F. UPHAM

Librarian

EMMA A. CROSS

Moderator School Meeting

HARRY WATKINS

School District Clerk

FRANCES W. BEAN

School Treasurer

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

School Board

DR. EDWARD M. PARKER
NORRIS E. HENDERSON
DAVID R. JONES

School Auditor

ANSON A. PLATTS

Truant Officer

ANGUS MORRISON

Janitor of Town Hall

STANLEY F. CARROLL

Sextons of Cemeteries

HARRY WATKINS, Last Rest
EVERETT W. MERRILL, Thornton Ferry

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Merrimack, in the County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Merrimack on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing; one Selectman, one Trustee of the Trust Funds, and one Library Trustee for three years.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges, including Town Officers' salaries, Town Officers' expenses, Election and Registration expenses, Health Department, general expense of Highway Department, care of Soldiers' Monument lot, care of Cemeteries and fighting forest fires, for the ensuing year.
3. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for care and supplies of the Town Hall.
4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Police Department.
5. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Fire Department.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to secure State Aid for the permanent improvements of Highways, or take any action relating thereto.
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appro-

priate the amount of money necessary to secure State Aid for the maintenance of State Highway, or take any action relating thereto.

8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of Highways and bridges.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Town Library.

10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to pay the interest on the Town notes and trust funds used by the town.

12. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount on the early payment of taxes, and make appropriation of the same, or take any action relating thereto.

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes or take any action relating thereto.

14. To see if the Town will vote to observe Old Home Day, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money necessary to have all town officers bonded by some bonding company, or take any action relating thereto.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money necessary to secure a tract of land with all water rights on Baboosic Brook at the Twin Bridges, known as the Cole-Mill Site or take any action relating thereto.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise or appropriate a sum not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200.00) to be used in connection with sums already raised by friends,

towards placing a Memorial Boulder near the home of the late Walter Kittredge, where his Immortal Song, "Tenting Tonight on the Old Camp Ground" was written.

18. To hear the reports of the Town Officers, and transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting, and raise and appropriate money for same.

Given under our hands and seal this fifteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

GEORGE W. CARROLL,
JOHN PONTBRIAND,
WALT M. GOODALE,
Selectmen of Merrimack.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GEORGE W. CARROLL,
JOHN PONTBRIAND,
WALT M. GOODALE,
Selectmen of Merrimack.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF MERRIMACK, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1927, to January 31, 1928, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year February 1, 1926 to January 31, 1927

SOURCES OF REVENUE.	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1926.	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1927.
FROM STATE:	\$1.89	\$1.89
Insurance tax	1,803.77	1,800.00
Railroad tax	2,334.24	2,300.00
For fighting forest fires	368.72	.....
(b) For Trunk Line Maintenance	133.36	.....
Interest and dividend tax	935.55	900.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:		
All licenses and permits except dog licenses	1,594.15	1,500.00
Rent of Town Hall and other buildings ..	53.50	50.00
Interest received on taxes and deposits....	421.30	400.00
Income of Departments: Highways, Sewers, etc.	70.00	.....
FROM POLL TAXES:	1,018.00	1,000.00
(a) National Bank stock	41.00	40.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES:.....	\$8,775.48	\$7,991.89
Amount raised by property taxes	33,819.14	.....
Total revenues	\$42,594.62	.....

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES.	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1926.	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1927.
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:		
<i>General Government:</i>		
Town Officers' salaries	\$1,004.10	\$1,000.00
Town Officers' expenses	526.08	500.00
Election and registration expenses	169.01	50.00
Care and supplies for Town Hall	403.20	300.00
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>		
Police Department	209.60	300.00
Fire Department	1,576.21	1,200.00
<i>Health:</i>		
Health Department	25.40	25.00
<i>Highway and Bridges:</i>		
Trunk Line Maintenance		
Town's contribution	2,378.77	2,000.00
Town Maintenance	7,273.99	4,000.00
General expense of Highway Department,..	6.00	.....
<i>Education:</i>		
Libraries	1,100.00	1,100.00
<i>Charities:</i>		
Town poor	100.01	.....
<i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>		
Memorial Day and other celebrations	52.99	50.00
Soldiers' Aid and G. A. R. Halls	8.00	.....
<i>Recreation:</i>		
Parks and playgrounds	531.50	100.00
<i>Public Service Enterprises:</i>		
Cemeteries	58.00	50.00
Sewer Maintenance	10.00	10.00
<i>INTEREST:</i>		
On long term notes	950.00	850.00
On principal of Trust Funds used by town	100.00	100.00
<i>Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements .....</i>	.....	1,250.00
District and abatements	958.75	1,000.00
<i>Indebtedness:</i>		
Payment on Principal of Debt		
(b) Long term notes	2,000.00	2,000.00
<i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>		
State taxes	3,540.00	3,540.00
County taxes	2,660.64	2,660.64
Payments to school districts	15,776.12	14,949.91
Total expenditures	\$40,459.62	\$37,035.55

SUMMARY INVENTORY

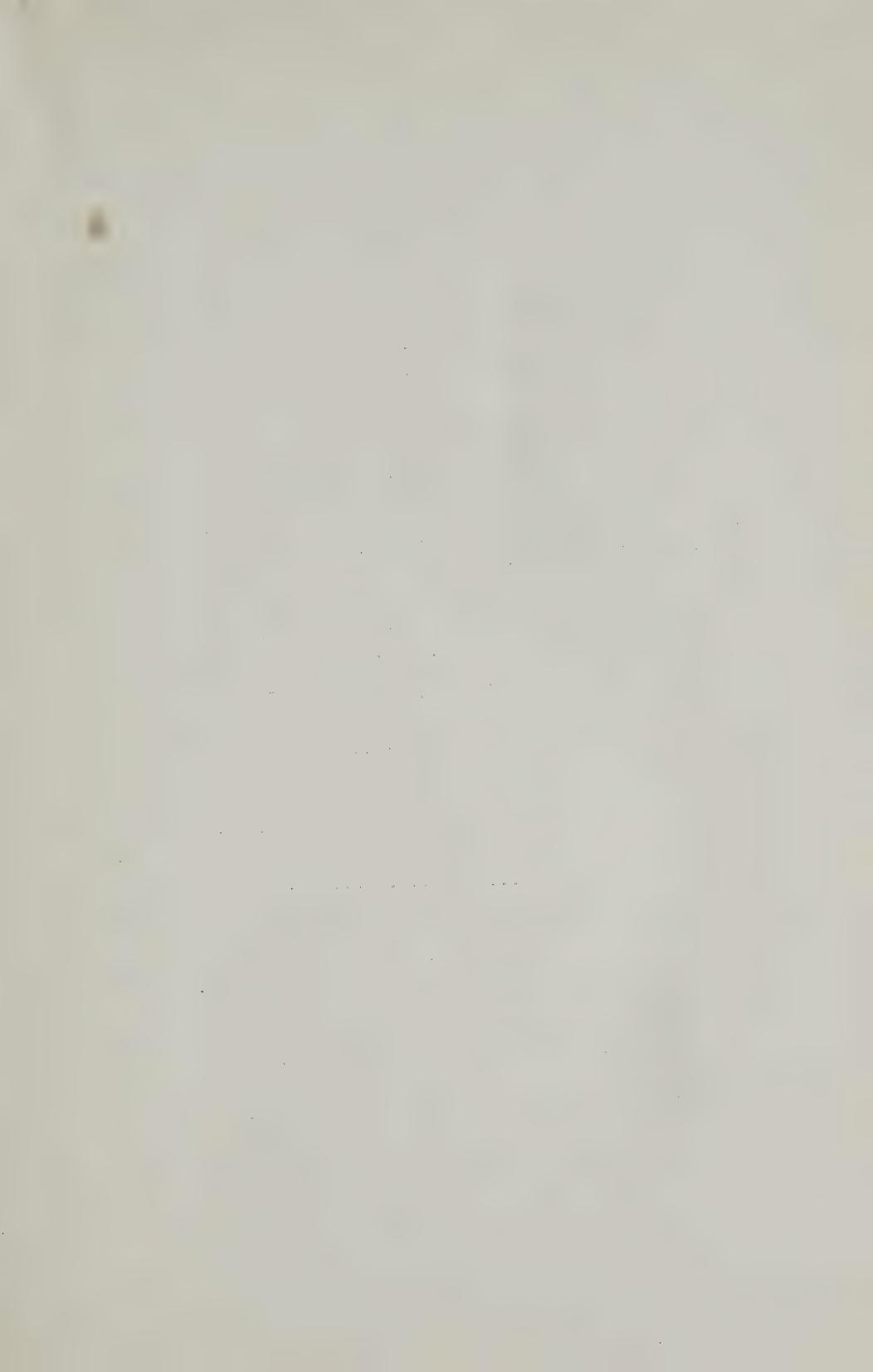
Resident land and buildings, 15,698 acres ...	\$688,933.00
Non-resident land and buildings, 4,950 acres	220,900.00
Horses 164	13,255.00
Mules, 1	75.00
Oxen; 1	50.00
Cows, 308	16,810.00
Neat Stock, 28	920.00
Goats, 1	7.00
Sheep, 15	105.00
Fowls, 5,829	5,829.00
Fur bearing animals, 34 foxes, 20 rabbits	3,500.00
Boats, 2	100.00
Portable Mills, 3	1,100.00
Gasoline pumps and Tanks, 30	6,300.00
Wood and Lumber	3,470.00
Stock in Trade	147,432.63
Mills and Machinery	213,200.00
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Total valuation	\$1,321,986.63
Amount to be raised by taxation	\$33,997.14
Polls	1,022.00
Estimated revenue	
Railroad tax	\$1,803.77
Savings Bank tax	2,334.24
Tax on Interest and Dividends	935.55
Automobile Registration permits	1,525.40
	6,598.86
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Total amount of taxes	\$41,618.00
Property taxes	\$33,973.14
509 Polls at \$2.00 each	1,018.00
Sewer tax	24.00
	\$35,915.14
Rate per \$100.00	\$2.57

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS, 1926

State tax	\$3,540.00
County tax	2,660.64
Town Officers' salaries	800.00
Town Officers' expenses	500.00
Election and registration expenses	175.00
Care and supplies, town hall	227.50
Police Department	150.00
Fire Department	650.00
Forest Fires	100.00
Health Department	25.00
Trunk Line Maintenance	2,000.00
Town Maintenance	4,000.00
Snow Bills	800.00
Sewer tax	10.00
General Expenses highway department	25.00
Hydrant Maintenance	65.00
Town Library	1,104.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Parks and Playgrounds	15.00
Cemeteries	60.00
Permanent Improvements	1,249.00
Interest on Town Notes	1,150.00
Grading Town Hall yard	100.00
Bridges and Culverts	1,500.00
Drinking Fountain	250.00
Discount on taxes	1,000.00
Town Notes	2,000.00
Overlay, 5%	1,677.67

APPROPRIATION AS PER WARRANT

Maintenance of High School	4,640.00
Maintenance of Elementary schools	8,241.19
Tuitions in High School and Academies	1,172.00
Salaries of district officers	260.00
\$2.00 per capita tax for supervision	566.00
Repairs of school property	300.00
Superintendent's excess salary	330.00
Health Inspection	225.00
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	\$41,618.00



	BALANCE
	ASSETS
Cash:	
In hands of treasurer	\$15,328.23
Accounts Due to the Town—	
Due from County:	
(a) Aid to paupers	\$20.00
(b) Aid to blind	12.50
	32.50
Other bills due Town:	
Taxes not collected:	
(a) Levy of 1926	\$3,310.04
W. L. R. French's taxes bought by the town	68.86
Oscar G. Warren taxes bought by the town	12.73
Parsons & Harrington taxes bought by the town	25.02
Fortin Georgins taxes bought by the town	11.12
Marjorie K. Colby taxes bought by the town	16.68
H. G. O. Bowers taxes bought by the town	1.11
	3,445.56
Total Assets	\$18,806.29
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)....	10,591.38
Grand Total	\$29,397.67
Net Debt Surplus January 31, 1926	\$13,396.54
Net Debt Surplus January 31, 1927	10,591.38
Decrease of debt of surplus	\$2,805.16
Purpose for which debt was created—Stone Arch Bridge.	

SHEET

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owned by the Town:

Due to School Districts:

Dog licenses	\$388.13
Unexpended balance in town	
Treasury	8,999.74

	\$9,387.87

State and Town Joint Highway Accounts:

Unexpended balance in town treasury	9.80
Long term notes outstanding	\$18,000.00
Trust funds amount of principal	
used by Town	2,000.00

	\$20,000.00
Total Liabilities	\$29,397.67

Grand Total	\$29,397.67

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION AND VALUE

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$10,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
Library, Lands and Buildings	18,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,500.00
Fire Department, Lands, Buildings and equipment	7,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings ...	75.00
Equipment	300.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	9,500.00
 Total	 \$48,375.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1926

Dog Licenses issued:

1 10 dog kennel license	\$20.00
1 5 dog kennel license	12.00
18 Female dog license	90.00
113 Male dog license	226.00
1 Female dog part year license375
1 Male dog part year license85
1 Male dog part year license75
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	\$353.35

Received of Dog Constable:

Bal. Collected year 1925	114.50
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Total	\$467.85
Recording Fees at 20 cents each	27.20
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Paid to Town Treasurer	\$440.65

Motor Vehicle Tax for Year 1926

Issued Permits for autos	270
Issued Permits for light deliveries	32
Issued Permits for trucks	30
Issued Permits for motor cycles	6
Issued Permits for fire trucks	2
Issued Permits for tractors	5
Issued Permits for trailer	1
Issued Permits for buss	1
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Total	347

Collected for year 1926, and paid Town Treasurer \$1,525.40

A true report, Attest:

DAVID R. JONES,
Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Norris E. Henderson, Treasurer in account with the
Town of Merrimack, New Hampshire

RECEIPTS

Balance in treasury	\$14,719.04
From State Treasurer:	
Savings Bank tax	2,334.24
Railroad tax	1,803.77
Insurance tax	1.89
Interest and dividends	935.55
Highways	133.36
Forest Fire bills	368.72
Bounties	21.00
From County Treasurer:	
Aid to blind	25.00
Aid to paupers	236.97
From J. N. Henderson, Collector:	
Taxes of 1924	103.14
Interest, taxes of 1924	5.80
Taxes of 1925	3,374.05
Interest, taxes of 1925	143.27
Taxes of 1926	31,709.10
Interest, taxes of 1926	3.76
From Town Clerk:	
Auto registration permits, 1926	727.27
Auto registration permits, 1927	854.88
Dog license fees, 1925	114.50
Dog license fees, 1926	326.15
Filing fees	2.00
Indian Head National Bank, interest on deposit	268.47

Indian Head National Bank, tax on bank stock	5.00
Second National Bank, tax on bank stock	36.00
A. G. Gordon, sale of extinguisher charges	67.50
F. F. Wells, rent of town hall	5.50
Stanley Carroll, rent of town hall	48.00
A. Rozan, duck killed by dog	2.50
E. Newman, junk dealer license	10.00
J. N. Henderson, Col., tax sales redeemed	70.26
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Total receipts	\$58,456.69
Credit Selectmen's orders paid	43,128.46
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Cash in treasury	\$15,328.23

Respectfully submitted,

NORRIS E. HENDERSON,
Town Treasurer.

RECEIPTS AND
RECEIPTS

From local taxes:

Property taxes committed to collector, 1926	\$33,973.14
Less discount and abatement, 1926	958.75
Less uncollected, 1926	3,064.04

Property taxes current year, actually collected	\$29,884.71
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Poll taxes current year, actually collected	776.00
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Property and poll taxes previous years actually collected	3,477.19
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Total above collections	\$34,137.90
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Tax sales redeemed	70.26
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National bank stock tax	41.00
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From state:

For highways:

Trunk Line maintenance	\$133.36
Interest and dividend tax	935.55
Insurance tax	1.89
Railroad tax	1,803.77
Savings bank tax	2,334.24
Fighting forest fires	368.72
Bounties	21.00

5,598.53

From county:

For support of poor	\$236.97
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Aid to the blind	25.00
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261.97

PAYMENTS

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

Town officers' salaries	\$1,004.10
Town officers' expenses	526.08
Election and registration expenses	169.01
Other town buildings	403.20
	—————
	\$2,102.39

Protection of persons and property:

Police dept. including care of tramps	\$209.60
Fire dept., including forest fires ..	1,576.21
Damage by dogs	27.50
	—————
	1,813.31

Health:

Health dept.	\$25.40
Sewer maintenance	10.00
	—————
	35.40

Highways and Bridges:

Trunk Line maintenance	\$2,378.77
Trunk Line (snow removal)	437.30
Town maintenance, North side ...	2,116.38
Town maintenance, South side ...	2,124.97
Snow bills, both sides	1,729.24
Hodgeman Culvert	506.43
Turkey Hill Bridge	796.79
Drinking fountain	239.92
Grading town hall	101.55
General expenses of highway dept. including watering troughs	6.00
	—————
	10,437.35

Library

1,100.00

Charities:

Town Poor	\$100.01
County Poor	258.97
	—————
	358.98

RECEIPTS AND

From local sources except taxes:

Dog licenses	\$440.65
Business licenses and permits ...	12.00
Rent of town hall	53.50
Interest received on taxes	152.83
Interest received on deposits	268.47
Incomes from departments	70.00
Permits for registration of motor vehicles	1,582.15
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Total receipts	2,579.60

Receipts other than current revenue:

Refunds, abatements	\$206.08
4% discount	842.31
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Total receipts other than current revenue	1,048.39
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Total receipts from all sources	\$43,737.65
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Cash on hand February 1, 1926	14,719.04
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Grand Total	\$58,456.69

PAYMENTS—(*Continued*)

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day exercises	\$52.99
Aid to soldiers	8.00
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	60.99

Parks and Playgrounds	531.50
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Public Service enterprises:

Cemeteries	58.00
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Unclassified:

Damages and legal expenses	\$358.45
Taxes bought by the town	206.94
Discounts and abatements	1,048.39
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	1,255.33

Interest:

Paid on long term notes	\$950.00
Paid on principal of trust funds used by Town	100.00
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	1,050.00

Indebtedness:

Payments on long term notes	2,000.00
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Payments to other Governmental Division:

Taxes paid to the state	\$3,540.00
Taxes paid to the county	2,660.64
Payments to school districts	15,766.12
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Total payments to other governmental division	21,966.76
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Total payments for all purposes	\$43,128.46

Cash on hand February 1, 1927	15,328.23
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Grand total	\$58,456.69
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TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

TAXES OF 1926

DR.

To amount as per warrant \$35,019.14

CR.

By amount paid Town Treasurer .. \$30,750.35

By amount of discount 842.31

By amount of abatements 116.44

By amount of uncollected 3,310.04

_____ \$35,019.14

TAXES OF 1925

DR.

To uncollected February 1, 1926 \$3,374.05

CR.

By amount paid Town Treasurer .. \$3,346.25

By amount of abatements 27.80

_____ \$3,374.05

TAXES OF 1924

DR.

To uncollected February 1, 1926 \$103.14

CR.

By amount paid Town Treasurer .. \$41.30

By amount of abatements 61.84

_____ \$103.14

By amount of interest 1926 collections 3.76

By amount of interest 1925 collections 143.27

By amount of interest 1924 collections 5.80

Tax sales redeemed 70.26

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON,
Collector

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

1. Town Officers' Salaries

David R. Jones:

Services as Town Clerk	\$35.00
Issuing 347 motor vehicles permits	77.60
	—————
Norris E. Henderson, services as town treasurer	60.00
George W. Carroll, services as selectman	188.00
John Pontbriand, services as selectman	187.09
Walt M. Goodale, services as selectman	219.57
Harry Watkins, balance services as selectman..	51.84
Josiah N. Henderson, services as tax collector	175.00
Charles F. Young, services as auditor, 1926	5.00
Franklin L. Haseltine, services as auditor, 1926	5.00
	—————
	\$1,004.10

2. Town Officers' Expenses

Arthur G. Gordon:

Trustee of trust funds, 1925	\$25.00
Safety box rent for same, 1925	3.00
Harry Watkins, bond for O. F. Upham	10.00
Annie E. White, 51 real estate transfers	4.08
E. C. Eastman Co., books and supplies	13.72
Bertha L. Harwood, labor on tax book	12.00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., adding machine and supplies	99.15

Osgood F. Upham:

Care of trust funds, 1926	25.00
Safety box rent for same, 1926	3.00
Granite State Press, printing town reports	185.00
Harry Watkins, expenses as selectman	6.54
George W. Carroll, expenses as selectman	33.09

John Pontbriand:

Freight on table paper	\$0.50
Paper clips	1.20
Postage and envelopes	35.05
Telephone charges	3.65
Use automobile	30.50

	70.90

Walt M. Goodale:

Use auto	\$23.50
Telephone charges	1.30
Expenses to tax meeting	3.00
Rubber Stamp and ink	1.65
Tacks and paper .....	.65
Expense to assessors' meeting ...	5.50

	35.60

	\$526.08

3. Election and Registration Expenses

F. E. Cole and Co., printing check lists	\$34.00
A. J. Jones, services as supervisor	36.00
H. E. Herrick, services as supervisor	24.00
Angus Morrison, services as supervisor	36.00
Frank R. Flanders, services as constable	4.00
Leon F. Center, services as constable	4.00
James Adams, services as ballot clerk	4.00
Louis Hoffman, services as ballot clerk, Sept.	
and Nov.	6.50
W. P. McQuestion, services as ballot clerk	4.00
Jas. H. Collier, services as ballot clerk	4.00
N. E. Henderson, services as moderator, March,	
Sept. and Nov.	12.00
Geo. W. Carroll, screws and pencils .....	.51

	\$169.01

4. Care and Supplies Town Hall

Fisk Bros., stove pipe	\$1.35
H. C. Lintott, welding door hinge	3.75

Fred Longa, labor on front door	2.60
A. Tarwater, tuning piano	5.00
Walt M. Goodale:	
Floor wax	2.60
1 duster .....	.90
Dust pan .....	.35
Table paper	9.36
Dustbane	4.00
Copper pump	9.50
W. H. McElwain Co., installing pump	1.78
Harry Watkins, insurance on town hall	187.50
Peter Velinue, sawing wood	4.00
Haseltine & Gordon, wood	4.00
Harry Watkins, 5 cords wood	53.75
Frank B. Carroll, broom and toilet paper	1.00
M. T. L. & P. Co., electric lights	45.80
George W. Carroll, labor digging ditch	9.00
W. H. McElwain Co., labor on pump .....	.98
L. A. Adams, new pipe and labor	22.63
George Cook, cleaning stove pipe	1.75
Stanley Carroll, putting in wood	4.40
Walt M. Goodale:	
Thermometer .....	.50
Floor wax	4.50
Table paper	9.25
Fred W. Longa, setting glass	1.95
Walt M. Goodale, glass, axe handle, etc	2.75
Peter Kislinger, sawing wood	6.25
Stanley Carroll, piling wood	2.00
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	\$403.20

5. Police Department

Frank R. Flanders, services as constable and ex- penses	\$79.60
Leon F. Center, services as constable and ex- penses	92.00

John Pontbriand:		
Services as dog officer	25.00	
Services at accident at Hilleah Park	5.00	
Harry Watkins, aid to travellers .....	.50	
Geo. W. Carroll, aid to travellers	2.00	
John Pontbriand, aid to travellers .....	.50	
Elzear Houle, services and expenses as constable	5.00	

		\$209.60

6. Fire Department

Reed's Ferry Woman's Club, lunch McKeown		
fire	\$4.56	
Merrimack Company, rent of hydrant	62.57	
J. B. Varick Company, 300 feet fire hose	171.00	
N. H. Firemen's Assn., insurance on firemen ...	19.00	
J. N. Henderson, supplies for fire dept	123.54	
N. E. Henderson:		
Salary of 38 Firemen at \$3.00	114.00	
Salary 411 hours at 50 cents	205.50	

		\$700.17

7. Fighting Forest Fires

Arthur G. Gordon:		
Fire extinguisher charges	\$33.00	
West lot fire	40.05	
Roux fire	2.50	
McGaw lot fire	680.84	
Edward W. Carter:		
Pennichuck fire	2.20	
Wason fire	2.50	
John B. Varick Co., fire extinguisher charges ..	83.70	
State of N. H. Forestry dept., 6 fire buckets ..	30.00	
George W. Carroll, freight on fire charges	1.25	

		\$876.04

8. Health Department

Dr. E. M. Parker, services as health officer and expenses	\$25.40
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9. Sewer Maintenance

Fessenden & Lowell, rent for 1926	\$10.00
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10. Trunk Line Maintenance

Harry E. Bishop, patrolman	\$2,187.71
H. N. Fosher	191.06
	\$2,378.77

11. Town Maintenance

William P. McQuestion, North Side	\$2,116.38
Guy B. Watkins, South Side	2,124.97
	\$4,241.35

12. Turkey Hill Bridge

William P. McQuestion	\$547.39
Guy B. Watkins	249.40
	\$796.79

13. Hodgeman Culvert

William P. McQuestion	\$506.43
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14. Snow Bills

William P. McQuestion, North side	\$899.73
Guy B. Watkins, South side	220.50
Harry Richardson, South side	603.41
Kaolin Farm Co., South side	5.60
	\$1,729.24
State of N. H. Trunk Line, plowing	437.30
	\$2,166.54

15. Grading Town Hall

William P. McQuestion, teams and labor	\$62.80
Guy B. Watkins	38.75
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	\$101.55

16. General Expense of Highway Department

John McKeon, watering trough for 1924 and 1925	\$6.00
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17. Watering Trough

John Pontbriand, material and labor	\$239.92
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18 Library

Library Trustees, Osgood F. Upham, Treas. . .	\$1,100.00
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19 Town Poor

J. W. Morse & Son:

Mdse. for Geo. Hale	\$15.00
Mdse. for Joe Kushingky	81.01
Fessenden & Lowell, wood for Martin Family ..	4.00
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	\$100.01

20. County Poor

Emma A. Cross, aid to the blind Mary A. Fraine	\$12.50
Fisk Brothers, Mdse for Eugene Hartshorn ..	104.00
Goodnow Hunt Pearson Co., Mdse Eugene	
Hartshorn	11.47
Speare Dry Goods Co., Mdse Eugene Hartshorn	4.50
J. W. Morse & Son, Mdse Nettie Pond	114.50
Fisk Brothers, Mdse Chas. Wactwick	6.00
Stanley F. Carroll, Mdse Chas. Wactwick	6.00
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	\$258.97

21. Memorial Day Exercises

Fred W. French, services, male quartette	\$20.00
Rev. William Weston, address	25.00
Harry Watkins, flags for Memorial Day	7.99
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	\$52.99

22. Aid to Soldiers

George W. Carroll, aid to soldiers	\$8.00
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23. Parks and Playgrounds

Harry Watkins, care of soldiers lot	\$15.00
Palmer & Garmon, lettering monument	516.50
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	\$531.50

24. Cemeteries

E. G. Weston:

Mowing Center Cemetery, 1925	\$10.00
Mowing So. Merrimack and Thornton's Ferry 1926	28.00

Harry Watkins:

Care of Town lot	7.50
Care of Gage lot	8.50

Fred N. Smith, labor Reed's Ferry Cemetery ..	4.00
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	\$58.00

25. Damage by Dogs

Edward Woodward, 2 turkeys and 31 eggs	\$25.00
Frank E. Wallace, 1 Pekin duck	2.50
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	\$27.50

26. Damages and Legal Expenses

Warren, Howe & Wilson, settlement Storr's case	\$285.45
Elmer Fields, time Storr's case	8.00
George Carroll, time Storr's case	20.00

John Pontbriand, time Storr's case	8.00
Harry Watkins, time Storr's case	37.00
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	\$358.45

27. Taxes Bought by the Town

J. N. Henderson:	
H. G. O. Bowers, 1925 taxes and expense ..	\$4.15
Marjorie K. Colby, 1925 taxes and expense..	20.61
Fortin Georgins, 1925 taxes and expense ..	14.75
Louis Beaulieu, 1925 taxes and expense	11.81
Oscar G. Warren, 1925 taxes and expense ...	16.45
Parsons & Harrington, 1925 taxes and expense	29.47
Milton R. Shonyo, 1925 taxes and expense ..	53.01
W. L. R. French, 1924 taxes and expense ...	51.99
C. R. Wood, looking up tax sale title	1.50
John Pontbriand, delivering tax sale notices..	3.29
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	\$206.94

28. Discounts and Abatements

J. N. Henderson, 4% discount on taxes 1926..	\$842.31
Charles E. Badger, double tax	107.94
Adeline Crooker, heirs taxed to Benj. French	
1926	1.93
Ralph H. Call, taxed to Chas. Tewksbury, 1926	2.57
Ella G. Boucher, over 70	2.00
Nat M. Lowell, over 70	2.00
J. N. Henderson:	
Abatement on taxes 1924	61.84
Abatement on taxes 1925	27.80
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	\$1,048.39

29. Interest

Addie E. Harris, est., on notes No. 7 and 9a ..	\$150.00
George Watkins, on Note No. 5	50.00
Harrison E. Herrick, on note No. 6a	25.00
Guy H. Greeley Est., on note No. 6b	25.00

Jane Melvin, on note No. 6c	25.00
N. M. Lowell, on note No. 6d	25.00
Mary E. Anderson on note No. 8	100.00
Harry Watkins, on note No. 9b	25.00
Harry Watkins, Trustees, on note No. 9c	25.00
Bertha L. Gordon, on note No. 10a	50.00
Charles E. Fisk, on note No. 11	100.00
Oscar Fisk, on note No. 12a	50.00
Flora A. Spaulding, on notes Nos. 12b, 13 and 14	250.00
Trustees of Trust Funds on note No. 15	100.00
James C. F. Hodgeman, on note No. 10b	50.00
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	\$1,050.00

30. Indebtedness

George Watkins, Note No. 5	\$2,000.00
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31. Payment to Other Governmental Division

Paid to State Treasurer, state tax	\$3,540.00
Paid County Treasurer, County Tax	2,660.64
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	\$6,200.64

32. School District

J. N. Henderson, School Treasurer	\$15,766.12
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W. P. McQUESTION

(In account with the Town of Merrimack)

W. P. McQuestion, labor	\$215.50
W. P. McQuestion, teams	615.50
W. P. McQuestion, truck	224.50
J. H. Longa, labor	193.00
Orin Sanderson, labor	191.63
H. A. Richardson, labor	231.00
J. H. Watkins, labor	97.13
Helen Wilson, labor	63.00
Leonard Welcome, labor	71.75
W. R. McDonald, labor	10.50
Gus Pearson, labor 1925 bill	10.00
E. K. Longa, labor	28.88
Geo. Cook, care sewer 3 years	21.20
Chas. Watkins, labor	1.75
M. F. Goodale, sharpening tools	2.40
Dyer Mch. Co., 2 road machine blades	12.20
F. A. Stockley, culvert pipe	56.10
E. A. Hadley, 1925 and 1926 bills	6.00
John B. Varick Co., Mdse	12.64
Fisk Bros., nails	4.80
Gravel bought:	
M. J. Hart	19.60
W. S. Sargent	10.30
Mrs. Lynch	2.00
David R. Jones	2.30
H. A. Richardson	3.70
C. H. Fields	3.60
Geo. A. Bean	1.90
Arthur G. Gordon	1.00
W. Nichols	1.20
W. P. McQuestion	1.30
	\$2,116.38

Snow Bills

Helen Wilson	\$48.80
Chas. Boisclair	50.40
E. K. Longa	18.80
J. McKim	12.40
M. J. Beard	1.00
F. W. Bean	78.40
L. Center	1.00
Geo. A. Bean	2.00
Milo Fisher	10.50
Carl Hendricks	9.40
C. Baker	11.50
W. L. R. French	15.00
L. Labombard	6.40
Edgar Thibedeau	14.60
Walter Connors and men	22.60
Stanley Husac	22.80
Chas. Longa	2.40
Chas. Watkins	1.00
J. H. Longa	12.80
Alex Maliwich	6.00
J. Donivan	2.48
Edw. Watkins	6.40
D. Donivan	1.20
E. Derusha	8.40
W. Derusha	6.80
C. Buckley	2.90
J. H. Watkins	18.00
O. Sanderson	12.40
R. Brunelle	20.40
H. E. Bishop and men	136.60
W. P. McQuestion and men	96.10
H. A. Richardson and men	43.40
George Watkins	65.80
F. E. Hall	42.80
Fred Wood	2.00
Geo. W. Carroll	6.00

Geo. Carbee	4.20
Fessenden & Lowell, Inc.	65.25
N. Derusha	10.80

	\$899.73

GUY B. WATKINS

(In Account with the Town of Merrimack)

Guy B. Watkins, team and truck	\$969.40
Tom Watkins, labor	271.13
John Lenz, labor and tractor	118.50
Edward Weston, labor	157.00
George Longa, labor	168.00
Joe Anderson, labor	24.15
Charles Parker, labor	3.00
Everett Merrill, labor	6.00
K. Lostawki, team and labor	127.25
Charles H. Fields, team and truck	37.00
Harlan Upham, team	7.00
Elmer H. Fields, team	14.00
Guy B. Watkins, 50 Chestnut posts	12.50
Hill Hardware Co., new tools	23.25
Charles French, snowing T. H. Bridge	2.00
Galion Mfg. Co., road machine repairs	15.85
Galion Mfg. Co., parts for road machine	2.82
Hill Hardware Co., 5 lbs. grease	1.00
W. H. McElwain Co., cinders	1.50
L. E. Winn Supply Co., drag, head	4.50
Osgood Const. Co., labor with drilling machine	58.03
F. A. Stockley, pipe	45.00
Guy B. Watkins, new pole and labor on rd. mch.	9.85
Guy B. Watkins, 1 keg spikes	3.80
Gravel:	
Guy B. Watkins, 30 loads	4.50
Charles Parker, 10 loads	1.50
David R. Jones, 20 loads	3.00

Charles Fields, 80 loads	12.00
M. F. Goodale, new drag	21.44
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	\$2,124.97

Snow Bills

Kaolin Farm Co.	\$39.60
George Webster	21.00
E. Z. Shattuck	36.00
Harlan Upham	30.90
Elmer Fields	18.00
Chas. H. Fields.....	12.50
Tom Watkins	15.50
Guy B. Watkins	47.00
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	\$220.50

HARRY RICHARDSON

Snow Bills

H. A. Richardson, labor	\$47.06
Kaolin Farm Co., labor	117.40
H. W. Upham, labor	104.30
E. W. Merrill	9.20
F. W. Watkins	21.60
T. H. Watkins	5.40
W. S. Abbott	9.20
F. W. Woods	19.40
T. I. Raymond	2.80
Bert Gilmore	1.60
Carl L. Pecker	7.20
Chas. H. Fields	24.00
G. H. Webster	22.60
Guy B. Watkins	49.00
E. Z. Shattuck	97.60
Bert L. Peaslee	30.60
W. L. Caswell	19.60
G. H. Gautier	4.40

J. D. Gautier	2.05
Perley Melvin	2.40
Frank P. Melvin	3.20
Charles H. French	2.80

\$603.41

HODGEMAN CULVERT

W. P. McQuestion, labor	\$47.25
W. P. McQuestion, team and truck	115.50
J. H. Longa, labor	38.00
O. Sanderson, labor	21.00
L. Welcome	24.50
E. K. Longa, labor	36.75
H. A. Richardson, labor	26.00
J. H. Watkins, labor	19.25
George Watkins, labor .....	.90
M. J. Hart, gravel	4.20
W. S. Sargent, gravel	1.20
I. J. Foster, labor	5.60
H. L. Jenkins, nails	2.55
F. A. Stockley, cement	99.90
F. A. Stockley, crushed stone	2.50
J. W. Flannigan, man and mixer	27.00
Fessenden & Lowell Co., lumber	23.83
C. G. Longa, labor	10.50

\$506.43

GRADING TOWN HALL

W. P. McQuestion, labor	\$9.00
W. S. Sargent, gravel	1.30
W. P. McQuestion, teams	17.50
J. H. Longa, labor	7.00
E. K. Longa, labor	7.00
O. Sanderson, labor	7.00
H. A. Richardson, labor	14.00

\$62.80

Guy B. Watkins, labor	26.50
George Longa, labor	5.25
Edw. G. Weston, labor	7.00
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	\$101.55

TURKEY HILL BRIDGE

Guy Watkins, labor	\$31.50
Guy Watkins, teams and truck	77.00
John Lenz, labor	24.50
E. B. Weston, labor	21.00
Tom Watkins, labor	18.75
Geo. Longa, labor	14.00
W. R. Peterson, spikes	8.00
Hill Hdw. Co., supplies	4.25
Proctor Bros., lumber	50.40
Wm. P. McQuestion, labor	30.50
Wm. P. McQuestion, teams	80.50
L. Welcome, labor	24.50
O. Sanderson, labor	21.00
G. H. Longa, labor	14.00
W. R. McDonald, labor	5.25
M. F. Goodale, blacksmith work	19.45
Fessenden & Lowell, lumber	327.30
John B. Varick Co., bolts	17.79
Wm. P. McQuestion, posts	3.50
Telephone charges40
Can oil50
W. S. Sargent, gravel	2.70
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	\$796.79

DRINKING FOUNTAIN

Manchester Supply Co., pipe and fittings	\$84.47
L. E. Winn Supply Co., brass pipe and fittings ..	14.30
F. A. Stockley, cement	4.00
Fisk Brothers, lead and nails .....	.55
John Pontbriand, labor	45.60
E. G. Weston, labor	10.50

W. P. McQuestion, labor	17.50
L. Welcome, labor	17.50
J. H. Longa, labor	10.50
E. K. Longa, labor	17.50
Orin Sanderson, labor	17.50

	\$239.92

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE CITY OR TOWN OF MERRIMACK ON JANUARY 31, 1927.

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of principal		Rate of interest on beginning balance at begin- ning of year.	Income during year.	Expended during year.	Balance of income on hand at end of year.	Balance of income on hand at end of year.
			Year	Year					
1884 Jane N. Gage, School Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	\$1,425.54 4½	.....	.....	\$64.86	\$64.86	.....	.....	.....
1884 Joseph N. Gage, School Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	4,017.59 4½	.....	.....	182.77	182.77	182.77	182.77	182.77
1884 Joseph N. Gage, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	701.32 4½	.....	.....	31.89	31.89	31.89	31.89	31.89
1884 Joseph N. Gage, School Fund	3rd U. S. Liberty Bond ..	2,000.00 4½	.....	.....	85.00	85.00	85.00	85.00	85.00
1884 Joseph N. Gage, School Fund	4th U. S. Liberty Bond ..	6,200.00 4½	.....	.....	263.50	263.50	263.50	263.50	263.50
1884 Joseph N. Gage, School Fund	Town of Merrimack, note ..	2,000.00 5	.....	.....	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
1884 Joseph N. Gage, School Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	500.00 4½	.....	.....	22.75	22.75	22.75	22.75	22.75
1913 McClure, School Fund	439.72 4½	.....	.....	.....	21.25	21.25	21.25	21.25	21.25
1921 Henry A. Lawrence, School Fund	4th U. S. Liberty Bond ..	60.28 4½	.....	.....	2.72	2.72	2.72	2.72	2.72
1926 Charles G. Lawrence, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	1,000.00 4½	.....	.....	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
1917 Belsey J. Patterson, Library Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	150.00 4½	.....	.....	6.82	6.82	6.82	6.82	6.82
1921 Henry A. Lawrence, Library Fund	4th U. S. Liberty Bond ..	439.72 4½	.....	.....	21.25	21.25	21.25	21.25	21.25
1926 Charles G. Lawrence, Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	60.28 4½	.....	.....	2.72	2.72	2.72	2.72	2.72
1898 James W. Blood, Cemetery Fund	500.00 4½	.....	.....	.....	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
1906 Reuben Barnes, Cemetery Fund	100.00 4½	.....	.....	.....	4.81	4.81	4.81	4.81	4.81
1907 George H. Jones, Cemetery Fund	100.00 4½	.....	.....	.....	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.50
1914 A. W. Wilkins, Cemetery Fund	100.00 4½	.....	.....	.....	8.60	8.60	8.60	8.60	8.60
1908 S. C. Follansbee, Cemetery Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00 4½	.....	.....	37.77	37.77	37.77	37.77	37.77
1910 Henry J. Wilson, Cemetery Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00 4½	.....	.....	16.03	16.03	16.03	16.03	16.03
1912 Charles S. Nesmith, Cemetery Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	200.00 4½	.....	.....	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
1912 David H. Boynton, Cemetery Fund	50.00 4½	.....	.....	.....	39.45	39.45	39.45	39.45	39.45
1912 Horatio Bower, Cemetery Fund	100.00 4½	.....	.....	.....	1.61	1.61	1.61	1.61	1.61
1912 James W. Fosdick, Cemetery Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00 4½	.....	.....	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49	5.49
1912 Turessa Clark, Cemetery Fund	200.00 4½	.....	.....	.....	1.18	1.18	1.18	1.18	1.18
1913 McClure, Cemetery Fund	300.00 4½	.....	.....	.....	72.76	72.76	72.76	72.76	72.76
					16.83	16.83	16.83	16.83	16.83

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION		HOW INVESTED	Balance of Income on hand at end of year.	Balance of Income during year.	Expended during year.	Balance of Income on hand at beginning of year.
	Amount of principal.	Rate of interest.					
1914	W. D. Mitchell, Cemetery Fund...		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	4.72	6.00
1908	Horace S. Gould, Cemetery Fund...		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	40.74	42.58
1915	Franklin T. Seavers, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	6.63	4.50
1915	Robert Mears, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	4.81	7.44
1915	Wm. P. Melvin, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	3.87	4.00
1915	W. A. Barker, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	300.00	4½	65.93	4.55
1915	Isaac A. Hodgman, Cemetery Fund...		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	16.42	82.35
1915	Isaac A. Hodgman, Cemetery Fund...		Manchester Savings Bank...	150.00	4½	12.46	17.50
1915	George A. Eliza Watkins, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	7.29	10.41
1916	Laura E. Parker, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	5.98	34.65
1916	James B. Elliott, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	200.00	4½	6.66	4.00
1916	Matthew Dickey, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	2.62	9.36
1916	Mary A. Gordon, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	4.63	4.00
1917	Daniel H. Smith, Cemetery Fund...		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	2.37	8.92
1917	George W. Moulton, Cemetery Fund...		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	19.74	4.50
1917	Betsy J. Patterson, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	4.50	20.69
1917	Warren W. Pillsbury, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	2.64	4.00
1918	Harrison F. Green, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	2.73	4.63
1918	Henry F. Herrick, Cemetery Fund...		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	4.30	6.00
1918	Jennie A. Bigalls, Cemetery Fund...		Manchester Savings Bank...	50.00	4½	16.96	5.02
1918	James S. Thornton, Post G. A. R., Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	5.79	14.00
1918	James S. Thornton, Post G. A. R., Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	200.00	4½	17.52	5.93
1919	Ionic Arthur, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	5.28	6.56
1919	Charles W. Parker, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	10.39	18.97
1920	James Walsh, Cemetery Fund		Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	31.97	3.83
			Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	6.60	35.26
			Manchester Savings Bank...		2.34	4.63	2.97
			Manchester Savings Bank...	190.00	4½	73.19	85.02
			Manchester Savings Bank...	52.00	4½	12.17	14.56
			Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	23.34	4.00
			Manchester Savings Bank...	50.00	4½	15.18	3.00
			Manchester Savings Bank...	100.00	4½	17.50	18.10
			Manchester Savings Bank...		5.28	17.17	5.31

1921	Elizabeth Boyson Shedd, Cem. Fund	Manchester Savings Bank ..	200.00	4½	11.53	9.58	8.00	13.11
1924	Frank E. Parker, Cemetery Fund ..	Manchester Savings Bank ..	50.00	4½	.75	2.27	2.00	1.02
1924	Isaac Combs Shedd, Cemetery Fund ..	Manchester Savings Bank ..	300.00	4½	..	13.58	8.00	5.58
1924	Daniel T. Ingalls, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	.56	4.57	4.00	1.13
1910	Levi Fisher, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	.92	5.01	4.00	10.22
1919	John Merriam, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	.83	4.63	4.00	3.46
1920	Alma S. Patterson, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	25.61	5.62	24.55	6.68
1920	Herman S. and Susan H. Fields, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	200.00	4½	9.54	9.49	8.00	11.03
1921	Perly E. Austin, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	4.40	4.72	4.00	5.12
1921	Hannah E. Henderson, Cem. Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	4.40	4.72	4.00	5.12
1921	David D. Henderson, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	50.00	4½	.84	2.27	2.00	1.11
1921	John M. Keep, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	5.09	4.77	4.00	5.86
1921	Milton W. Wallace and David Barnes, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	..	..	..	..
1921	Henry A. Lawrence, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	2.47	4.63	4.00	3.10
1922	George W. Kimball, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	7.72	4.86	4.00	8.58
1922	Louise M. Jones, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	50.00	4½	.95	2.27	2.00	1.22
1922	Louise M. Jones, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	50.00	4½	.95	2.27	2.00	1.22
1922	James M. Wilkins, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	1.73	4.59	4.00	2.32
1922	Elizabeth A. Wood, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	1.61	4.59	4.00	2.20
1922	Augustus L. Gilson, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	2.41	4.63	4.00	3.04
1922	Southeast Lodge, L. O. O. F., Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	200.00	4½	3.71	9.22	7.50	5.43
1923	Lucy E. Nichols, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	1.30	4.59	4.00	1.89
1923	James W. Ferguson, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	6.71	4.77	7.25	4.23
1924	Charles A. Roberts, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	.63	4.54	3.50	1.67
1924	Arthur G. Gordon, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	1.12	4.58	3.75	1.95
1924	McGaw Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	.87	4.54	4.00	1.41
1924	Willie E. Betterly, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	.87	4.54	4.00	1.41
1924	John Anderson, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	.50	4.54	4.00	1.04
1924	Matthew P. Nichols, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	.19	4.54	4.00	1.04
1924	James E. Hale, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	150.00	4½	..	6.82	6.00	1.01
1924	Herman O. Jean, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	125.00	4½	..	5.66	4.50	1.16
1925	J. L. McIntire, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	..	4.50	4.00	.50
1925	Leonard Walker, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	4.12	4.00	.12	..
1925	Lauther Read, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	..	2.25	2.25	..
1926	Roseanna J. Dowe, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	..	2.25	2.25	..
1926	Sarah F. Griffin, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	..	1.12	..	1.12
1926	Chas. G. Lawrence, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	200.00	4½	..	1.50	..	1.50
1926	George W. M. West, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	50.00	4½	..	..	..	..
1926	Lewis J. Read, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	..	..	..	..
1926	John D. Fraser, Cemetery Fund ..	Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	4½	..	..	..	..

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

OSGOOD F. UPHAM, *{Trustee}*,
IBRA J. FOSTER,

AUDITORS' REPORT

Merrimack, N. H., February 7, 1927.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of all the receipts for the year ending January 31, 1927, and find them properly cast.

CHARLES F. YOUNG,
FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE.

Auditors.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES' REPORT

Library Furniture

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand February 1, 1926	\$60.46
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EXPENDITURES

Librarians' picture	40.00
Cash in hands of trustees	\$20.46

J. E. HASELTINE,
EDITH W. FOSS,
OSGOOD F. UPHAM,

MERRIMACK TOWN LIBRARY

Officers

John E. Haseltine,	President
Edith W. Foss,	Secretary
Osgood F. Upham,	Treasurer

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR MERRIMACK
PUBLIC LIBRARY

Dr.

Cash on hand, February 1, 1926	\$4.41
Town Appropriation	1,100.00
Henry A. Lawrence Fund	23.97
Chas. G. Lawrence Fund	3.75
Betsey J. Patterson Fund	6.82
Collected fines	11.48

	\$1,150.43

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Emma A. Cross, Librarian	\$500.00
Marguerite M. Henderson, asst. librarian	150.00
Frank F. Wells, janitor	156.00
Water	9.52
Lights	40.38
Fuel	75.20
Books	167.13
Magazines	7.80
Book repairing materials	32.48
Fish Bros., supplies	5.00
John B. Varick Co., supplies	2.75
Repairing lawn mower	1.25
Stationery, postage and express ...	2.12

	\$1,149.63
Cash in hands of Treas., Jan. 31, 1927	\$0.80

OSGOOD F. UPHAM.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

February, 1927

Number of books in library	5428
Number of books added since February 1, 1926	222
Number of books added by gift	116
Number of books added by purchase	106
Number of books circulated	6801
Number of cards issued	32
Number of visitors registered	108

An average number of books were listed during the past year, but the above statistics show that more than half of them were acquired by gift. This is especially true of the books for the young people who are among our most constant and appreciative patrons. Miss Alice McIntire, on leaving town, left 22 new books of an educational character,—and Mrs. McCalvey gave a series of 21 girls' books, which are thoroughly appreciated and in constant demand.

During Children's Book Week, 25 excellent and attractive books for Juvenile and Junior readers were loaned for two weeks, from the Library Commission's Traveling Libraries, and were much used and greatly enjoyed. A few of the titles sent, have been added to our lists, and more will be bought during the coming year. Three hundred and thirteen badly worn books have been repaired at the library, 125 of which have been resewed and recased, and should do good service for many months. Others are waiting for repairs, and every day adds more to the list. Fewer replacements were made this year than last, for many of the withdrawals were undesirable for replacement, and more books of permanent value have been bought, leaving less money for the purchase of reprint editions, from which our replacements are drawn. There should be many more replacements next year, and also, more withdrawals.

It is a matter of regret that Merrimack has no published Town History. The librarians are collecting and preserv-

ing everything obtainable, of local historical interest, in the hope that, sometime, it may be used, in the preparation of a work worthy of the town—for Merrimack is rich in old historic material, which should be collected and put into usable form for the enlightenment of future generations.

We are now attempting to collect photographs of all of our boys who served in the World War, and also, those of the older citizens who have been, or still are, identified with the business, or welfare of the town.

A display of relics, old documents, pictures, etc., of historic interest, was made at the library last February, under the auspices of the Community Club, at which time Mr. Otis Hammond, of the State Historical Society, gave an extremely interesting talk upon New Hampshire History. Among the objects exhibited was an old cross-cut saw bearing the date 1767, stamped into the blade, shown, and donated to the library by Mr. Everett Parker.

Besides the gifts previously mentioned, is a set of 42 volumes of "Everyman's Library" given by Mr. Allan E. Herrick of Manchester. These books are mostly classics. The Girl Scouts, and the School Children, contributed the money for the librarian's picture, and a crayon portrait of the poet, Longfellow, hangs above a small book case in the Children's Corner, for the books of the youngest readers—both given by a friend of the future citizens of Merrimack.

For gifts and expressions of interest in our work, grateful acknowledgement is here made.

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA A. CROSS,
Librarian.

LIST OF NEW BOOKS

AGRICULTURE

Kruhon. Home Vegetable Gardening from A to Z.

BIOGRAPHY

Bartlett.	Grocery Clerks who have become Successful	G
Berlioz.	Life, Letters, and Memoirs of.	G
Ford.	My Life and Work.	
Hanaford.	Life of George Peabody.	G
Holmes.	Life of Mozart.	G
Lockhart.	Life of Napoleon Bonapart.	G
Whitson and Others.	Luther Burbank.	

DESCRIPTIVE AND GEOGRAPHICAL

Gettysburg—America's Greatest Battle.	G	
Hearn.	Glimpses of Unfamiliar Japan, 2 vols.	G
Hearn.	Historic Boston.	G
Irving.	The Alhambra.	
Nutting.	New Hampshire Beautiful.	
Nutting.	Points of Interest in Philadelphia, and Fairmount Park.	G
Nutting.	Sharon, the Beautiful.	G
Smith.	Industrial and Commercial Geography.	G
Smith.	Souvenir Views of Hartford, Conn.	G
Smith.	The San Francisco Disaster.	G
Smith.	The Switzerland of America, The Lehigh Valley Railroad.	G
Smith.	Views of Fitchburg and Vicinity.	G

FICTION

Aldrich.	The Cutters.	
Babcock.	The Soul of Abe Lincoln.	
Bailey.	The Dim Lantern.	
Balzac.	The Quest of the Absolute.	G
Barclay.	The Rosary.	R

Bassett.	The Green Dolphin.	
Beach.	The Barrier.	R
Biggers.	Seven Keys to Baldpate.	
Black.	You Can't Win.	
Brand.	The White Wolf.	
Brown.	The Mysteries of Ann.	
Burnham.	Tobey's First Case.	
Cameron.	A Sporting Chance.	
Canfield.	The Homemaker.	
Canfield.	Her Son's Wife.	
Cervantes.	The History of Don Quixote.	G
Curwood.	The Ancient Highway.	
Curwood.	The Black Hunter.	G
Darrington.	The Radium Terrors.	
Dell.	The Keeper of the Door.	G
Dickens.	A Tale of Two Cities.	G
Dickens.	American Notes and Pictures from Italy.	G
Dickens.	Barnaby Rudge.	G
Dickens.	Bleak House.	G
Dickens.	Christmas Books.	G
Dickens.	Christmas Stories.	G
Dickens.	David Copperfield.	G
Dickens.	Dombey and Son.	G
Dickens.	Edwin Drood and Master Humphrey's Clock.	G
Dickens.	Hard Times.	G
Dickens.	Little Dorritt.	G
Dickens.	Martin Chuzzlewit.	G
Dickens.	Nicholas Nickelby.	G
Dickens.	Old Curiosity Shop.	G
Dickens.	Oliver Twist.	G
Dickens.	Our Mutual Friend.	G
Dumas.	The Count of Monte Cristo.	G
Evarts.	Tumbleweeds.	
Farnol.	The High Adventure.	
Ferber.	Emma McChesney & Co.	
Fox.	The Trail of the Lonesome Pine.	R
Gale.	The Mothers of Men.	G
Gregory.	The Bells of San Juan.	

Gregory. The Timber Wolf.	
Grey. The Call of the Canyon.	
Grey. The Vanishing American.	
Hough. 54-40 or Fight.	
Jackson. Elizabeth's Tower.	
Kyne. The Understanding Heart.	
Leroux. The Phantom of the Opera.	
Lincoln. The Big Mogul.	
Lincoln. Thankful's Inheritance.	R
Locke. The Fortunate Youth.	G
Lutz. The Mystery of Mary.	
Lutz. Marcia Schuyler.	R
Lutz. Phoebe Deane.	R
MacGrath. The Man on the Box.	R
Moore. Hearts of Hickory.	
Morley. Pandora Lifts the Lid.	
New. The Unseen Hand.	
Orczy. The Triumph of the Scarlet Pimpernel.	
Pedler. The Moon Out of Reach.	
Porter. Hustler Joe, and Other Stories.	G
Quick. Vandermark's Folly.	
Reade. Peg Woffington and Christine Johnson.	G
Richmond. Red of Redfields.	
Rinehart. The Breaking Point.	
Rinehart. K: The Unknown.	
Rinehart. Where There's a Will.	G
Sand. The Devil's Pool and Francois the Waif.	G
Sedgewick. Franklin Winslow Kane.	
Sedgewick. The Little French Girl.	
Spearman. Larimie Holds the Range.	R
Stowe. The Pearl of Orr's Island.	R
Tarkington. Seventeen.	R
Tarkington. The Midlander.	
Thackery. Pendennis, 2 vols.	G
Thackery. Vanity Fair.	G
Thompson. The Hounds of Spring.	
Warner. The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary.	R
Wren. Beau Geste.	

HISTORY

Campbell, Ed.	The Soldier in the Civil War, 2 vols.	G
Dodge.	Red Men of the Ohio Valley, An original History.	G
Frost.	Popular History of the United States.	G
Nutting.	To Monadnock—Records of 3 centuries.	

JUNIORS

Abbott.	Happy Home.	
Abbott.	Red Robin.	
Alger Jr.	Luke Walton.	G
Alger, Jr.	Risen from the Ranks.	G
Barbour.	My Dog's Story.	
Baldwin.	Fifty Famous Stories Retold.	G
Dowd.	Polly of Lady Gay Cottage.	R
Dowd.	Polly of the Hospital Staff.	R
Dowd.	When Polly was Eighteen.	
Eaton.	The Boy Scouts in Crater Lake.	
Eaton.	The Boy Scouts at Katahdin.	
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding of Red Hill.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at Briarwood Hall.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at Silver Ranch.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at Lighthouse Point.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding on Cliff Island.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at Camp Snow.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at Sunrise Farm.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding and the Gypsies.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at the Moving Pictures.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at College.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding Down in Dixie.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding in the Saddle.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding in the Red Cross.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at the War Front.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding Homeward Bound.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding Down East.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding in the Great Northwest.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding on the St. Lawrence.	G

Emerson.	Ruth Fielding in the Far North.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding at Golden Pass.	G
Emerson.	Ruth Fielding Treasure Hunting.	G
Fox.	Janey.	G
Gates.	The Rich Little Poor Boy.	
Kingston, Ed.	Swiss Family Robinson.	G
Melville.	Moby Dick.	
Robinson.	Hawk—The Young Osage.	
Spyri.	Children of the Alps.	
Terhune.	Lad—A Dog.	
Baldwin.	The Golden Fleece.	G
Baldwin.	Old Greek Stories.	G
Boynes.	The Sprite.	
Blaisdell.	Short Stories from Ancient History.	G
Carpenter.	Africa.	G
Crump.	Boy's Book of Arctic Explorers.	
Crump.	Boy's Book of Forest Rangers.	
Eggerton.	First Book in American History.	G
Eggerton.	Stories of American Life and Adventure.	G
Foote and Skinner.	Explorers and Founders of America.	G
Forman.	Essentials of Civil Government.	G
Gibson.	Eye Sky Afield with Nature.	
Hall.	Buried Cities.	
Hawthorne.	Grandfather's Chair.	G
Hawthorne.	The Great Stone Face.	
Hawks.	The Trail of the Woods.	G
May.	First Lessons in Civil Government.	G
McMaster.	A Primary History of the United States.	G
Pratt.	A Geographical Reader.	G
Reinsch.	The Young Citizen's Reader.	G
Schwartz.	Five Little Strangers.	G
Sieput.	Bird Houses Boys can Build.	
Thompson.	Travels Here and There (Everyday Library)	
Thompson.	Marvels of Industry (Everyday Library)	
Thompson.	Men of Mark (Everyday Library)	
Thompson.	Beast, Bird and Flower (Everyday Library)	

Thompson. Plays, Pictures and Poems (Everyday Library)

Tarr. First Book of Physical Geography.

G

Winslow. The Earth and Its People.

G

JUVENILES

Anderson. The Snow Queen.

Burnet. Barty Crusoe and His Man Saturday.

Castella. The Sandman—His Fairy Stories.

Davies. Peter's Trip to Story Land.

Dods. The Camping Spree of Kiddies Three.

G

Dods. Fairy Tales from Grinun and Anderson.

G

Gordon. The Book of Bow Wows.

G

Hillyer. A Child's History of the World.

G

Hinkle. Doctor Rabbit and Slinkey the Wolf.

G

Moore. The Night Before Christmas.

Moore. Mother Goose Book of Rhymes.

G

Mulock. The Little Lame Prince.

G

Rackham. A Fairy Book.

Rae. Grasshopper Green and Meadow Mouse.

G

Stuart. Adventures of Three Little Cotton Tails.

Stuart. Noah's Ark.

MISCELLANEOUS

Baker and Dodd. College and State.

Baker and Dodd. The New Democracy.

G

Bates. The Naturalist on the River Amazon.

G

Buel. The Living World.

G

Carlisle. Past and Present.

G

Cicero. Essays on Friendship, Old Age and Selected Letters.

G

Goldthwait. Geology of New Hampshire.

Grayson. Adventures in Contentment.

Irwin. The Story of Sandwich Glass.

Johnson. Nature's Program.

G

Kellogg. Evolution.

Kipling. A Kipling Anthology of Prose and Poetry.

G

Lincoln. Speeches and Letters.

G

Mavor. Niagara in Politics.	G
Miller. Old Red Sandstone, or New Walks in an Old Field.	G
Rawlinson. History of Herodotus, 2 vols.	G
Robinson. The Mind in the Making.	
Roosevelt. The Philippines: A Treasure and a Problem.	
Safford. Immigration Problems.	
Slosson. Science Remaking the World.	
Tunis. Forestry for Profit.	
Winter. The Business of Being a Club Women.	

POETRY

Brown. Heart of New England.	
Bryant, Ed. Library of Poetry and Song.	
Bryant, Ed. Favorite Poems from Eminent English and American Authors.	G
Fletcher. A Thousand Songs of Life, Love, Hope and Heaven.	G
Kipling. A Verse Anthology.	
Wilcox. The Torch—A Book of Poems for Boys.	

TRAVEL

Cook. Voyages of Discovery.	G
Park. The Travels of Mungo Park.	G
Speke. Journal of the Discovery of the Nile.	G

REFERENCE

Wade. The New International Year Book, 1925.	
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MAGAZINES

		American.	
American Forests.	G	Outlook	G
Granite Monthly.		Popular Science Monthly.	
National Geographic	G	Pictorial Review	
Our Dumb Animals.	G	Review of Reviews.	
Woman's Home Companion.		School Arts.	G

REPORT OF MERRIMACK CHILD HEALTH
CONFERENCE

Held June 16, 1926, under the Supervision of the State
Board of Health.

Total attendance 57

Birth to one year	6	normal	4	with defects	2
One to two years	11	normal	5	with defects	6
Two to six years	37	normal	8	with defects	29
School age	3	normal	0	with defects	3

Defects found:

Phimosis	.....	9
Defective teeth	.....	13
Bad tonsils	.....	2
Enlarged glands	.....	5
Hernia	.....	1
Rickets	.....	1
Skin disease	.....	4
Cyst	.....	1
Fatigue posture	.....	6
Orthopedic	.....	1
Speech defect	.....	1
Mental case	.....	1

Demonstration of care and treatment at conference	15
Placed under treatment	15
Defects corrected at conference	3
Defects corrected since last conference	14

Toxin Anti Toxin Clinic.

County, Hillsborough; Town, Merrimack.

Dates, December 7, 14 and 21.

Conducted by N. H. Board of Health.

Sponsored by Health Officer, Club Women, School Committee.

Physician 1st Clinic, Bruce Snow,
Manchester, Service 1-5 P. M.
Physician 2nd Clinic, Franklin Rogers,
Manchester, Service 1-5 P. M.
Physician 3rd Clinic, Franklin Rogers,
Manchester, Service 1-5 P. M.
Mary D. Davis, Nurse

Clinic Attendance 120

Age	3 Treatments	2 Treatments	1 Treatment
Birth to			
one year	4	3	1
1 to 2 yrs.	15	13	1
2 to 6 yrs.	39	36	1
School age	62	58	3

Total number of immunizing treatments given 347.

A small number were unable to complete the treatment due to grippe, bronchitis, severe colds, etc.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Merrimack:

GENTLEMEN:

I have the honor to submit herewith my eighth annual report as superintendent of your schools. I am enclosing reports from your school nurse and the headmaster of McGaw Normal Institute.

SCHOOL COSTS

I conceive it to be the duty of school officials first of all to establish and maintain as good schools as the funds at their disposal may permit, and second, to advise their constituents as to the amount of funds necessary for maintaining as good a system of schools as they can afford. It has been my observation and experience that a community will be generous in its financial backing of its school officials as long as it feels that it is receiving a hundred cents' worth for each dollar expended, and that it will commence to be niggardly in its appropriations when it is suspicious of any waste of its funds.

Unfortunately, the public, at least, has no universal criterion by which it measures the quality of school work. Such standards cannot be fixed as long as public opinion differs as to what kind of instruction and what qualities of training are the most valuable. The cost to the community, however, for the maintenance of the public schools is universally measured by the outlay in dollars and cents. In this statistics may be given which will be interpreted by all alike.

The total costs of the elementary schools of New Hampshire per pupil of average membership in the different school districts varied for last year from \$37.60 to \$266.64 with a median cost of \$78.57. The expenditure per pupil in the elementary schools in Merrimack for last year was \$78.55 or 2 cents less than the median.

The total expenditure for public education, including

both the elementary and the secondary schools, per \$1000 of equalized valuation in this state for last year ranged from \$1.29 to \$28.68 with a median at \$9.90. The expenditure in Merrimack was \$12.02. Of this amount \$1.34 was borne by the state and \$.60 by income from vested funds, leaving for the tax payers share \$10.08 as against \$8.25 as a median burden for the school districts of the state.

From the above we conclude that Merrimack has been slightly more economical in its expenditure for the elementary schools than the average school district, but that its total expenditure for public education, including both elementary and secondary schools, has been brought somewhat above the median of the state. This may be accounted for by the fact that Merrimack supports one high school and pays a considerable sum for tuition at another high school. This is due more to geographical features of the township than to a too liberal school policy and cannot be avoided without hardship to some particular community.

THE PROBLEM OF THE FEEBLE-MINDED

The commissioner of Education in his report to the Legislature this year has devoted an entire chapter to the consideration of the problem of the feeble-minded. Using the term feeble-minded to designate those individuals who cannot live unprotected lives without danger to themselves and others, he makes the conservative estimate that there are at least four thousand in this state. It is quite probable that there are three or four times that number.

At least three-fourths of this class are feeble-minded from inheritance and their offspring will be of like mentality with all their parents' potentiality for the spread of crime and disease. Though marriage of the feeble-minded has long been contrary to the statute, the law has been ineffective because of the lack of any official designation of the individuals of this class. The Legislature of 1925 placed the responsibility for the classification of such as attended the public schools upon the superintendents of the

state. This is a grave responsibility but one that should be conscientiously observed if any progress is to be made in removing this imminent danger to society. This legal obligation has furnished the superintendents with an excuse for the general use of mental tests and they have proven of great value in matters of administration.

TEACHING FORCE

There were but four new teachers employed by the district at the opening of the schools in September, viz., Miss Eleanor Anderson for No. 5, Miss Irene Somerville for No. 7, Miss Dorothy F. McLain for Reed's Ferry V-VIII, and Miss Eva F. Wakely for McGaw. Mrs. Bruce resigned at the end of the fall term and her position was filled by transferring Miss Anderson from No. 5. Miss Margaret Ferry was then hired to fill the latter vacancy. I believe you have a conscientious and efficient corps of teachers.

McGAW NORMAL INSTITUTE

The work at McGaw has continued on the same high level as in the past. Some of the extra curriculum activities are of special value and are worthy of mention, such as the prize speaking contests and the participation in the debating league. The public should more liberally patronize these functions.

EXTRACTS FROM GENERAL STATISTICS, 1925-1926

Number of schools maintained	10
Number of teaching positions	12
Total registration	231
Average membership	203
Average attendance	191
Per cent of attendance	94
Average length of ele. schools in half days ..	343.2
Average length of sec. schools in half days..	354
Number of visits made by school board	14
Number of visits made by superintendent ..	311
Number of visits made by citizens and others ..	345
Average salary of elementary teachers	\$938.44

ROLL OF PUPILS OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Alba Bennett, Dorothy Jenkins, Joseph Roy, Anna Webster, Estelle Dupell, Adolph Rozen, Benjamin French, Rose Kiestlinger, Susan Martin, Grace Henderson, Alfred Dupell, Dorothy L. French, Phyllis E. Foster, Anna M. Dupell, Carroll Stowell, Cora L. Bean, Mary I. Bean, Lois Parker, William Balcom, Elmer Parker, Marian Drobysky, Doris Watkins.

Thanking the board for the many considerations shown me which have made my work a pleasure, this report is,

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS DeWITT RECORD,
Supt. of Schools, Union No. 27.

February 1, 1927.

REPORT OF MISS EVA F. WAKELY

February 3, 1927.

To the Superintendent, Trustees of McGaw Normal Institute and Citizens of the Town of Merrimack:

The new course of study to be used in Secondary schools in New Hampshire and adopted last year by the New Hampshire Home Economics association is being strictly adhered to this year.

The most interesting part of the new course is "The Family and its Members" which is taken by the Junior and Senior girls combined. It takes up Home Membership and Responsibilities, Use of Leisure Time, Home Care of the Helpless, Community Responsibilities of Women and Choice of Vocation.

Besides making individual note books the girls have all contributed a theme to a class book which will be used another year. These illustrated themes have been written after careful research and study.

A series of fine lectures will be given the girls by Mrs. Davis, from the State Board of Health, on such subjects as Personal Hygiene and Infant and Child Care and Training.

The new course is working out successfully and has done away with the repetition that the old course made necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

EVA F. WAKELY.

REPORT OF HEADMASTER OF McGAW INSTITUTE

To the Superintendent, Trustees of McGaw Normal Institute and Citizens of the Town of Merrimack:

February 2, 1927.

The work at McGaw this year is moving along with the same co-operation of teachers, students, parents and friends, that we have experienced for the four preceding years.

We were very successful in our Redpath Lyceum Bureau, Entertainment Festival, realizing a little over \$60.00, which we are using to pay part of the expenses of our Debating teams.

We have two Debating teams which have been very successful to date, and we are hoping to have a baseball team this spring.

ENROLLMENT, 1926-1927

	Boys.	Girls.
Senior Class	3	3
Junior Class	5	3
Sophomore Class	2	5
Freshman Class	1	7
Special	1	
	—	—
	12	18

The courses of study this year are being conducted strictly in accordance with the State Requirements, following the curriculum drawn up by the Board of Trustees and approved by the Commissioner of Education.

CURRICULUM I.

First Year—English, French, History of Civilization, Commercial Arithmetic and Commercial Geography and Bookkeeping.

Second Year—English, French, Algebra and English History.

Third Year—Economics, French or Latin I, Physics, Geometry.

Fourth Year—English, Chemistry, U. S. History and Civics, and elect one of the following: Solid Geometry, Trigonometry and advanced Algebra, or Latin II.

CURRICULUM II.

First Year—English, French, History of Civilization, Textiles and Clothing.

Second Year—English, French, Algebra, Foods and Nutrition.

Third Year—Economics, French or Latin, Geometry, The Home its Care and Management.

Fourth Year—English, U. S. History and Civics, The Family and its Members, and elect one of the following: Chemistry or Solid Geometry, Trigonometry and Advanced Algebra.

I wish to urge the parents to visit more of our classes and inspect the work which is being conducted.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. HALL,
Headmaster.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF TRUSTEES OF
McGAW NORMAL INSTITUTE

Balance in treasury July 1, 1925 \$223.55

Received from—

School Treasurer	4,350.00
McGaw Fund	476.00
Mrs. M. E. Anderson, rent	50.00
Edgar Jenkens, rent	20.00
Bedford, tuition	55.00

	\$5,174.35

Paid—

Fred W. Hall, headmaster, salary	\$1,900.00
Allen A. Sandburg, salary	1,300.00
Beulah M. Huckins, salary	1,150.00
Fred W. Hall, janitor	128.50
Manchester T. L. & P. Co., lights and power	26.64
Henry Hock, repairs	117.38
Mrs. M. E. Anderson, repairs	6.55

	\$4,629.07
Balance in Treasury	545.28

	\$5,174.35

June 30, 1926.

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON,
Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have examined the Report of Treasurer, Trustees of McGaw Normal Institute and find it correct.

ANSON A. PLATTS,
Auditor.

Merrimack, August 19, 1926.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Merrimack, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 8th day of March, 1927, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three (3) years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools, and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To choose a Trustee to represent the district on the Board of Trustees of McGaw Normal Institute for the ensuing three (3) years.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Given under our hands at said Merrimack this 15th day of February, 1927.

EDWIN M. PARKER,
DAVID R. JONES,
NORRIS E. HENDERSON,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EDWIN M. PARKER,
DAVID R. JONES,
NORRIS E. HENDERSON,
School Board.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
OF THE MERRIMACK SCHOOL DISTRICT

- 1 Amount of money required by law, (\$3.50 on each \$1,000 of the equalized valuation of the district.)
- 2 Statement in detail of the additional amount of money required for the support of schools, and payment of statutory obligations for the ensuing year.

I Budget (School money) :

(a) For support of schools—

	Elementary Schools	Secondary Schools
Superintendent's excess salary	\$330.00	
Truant officer and enumerator	50.00	
Expenses of administration ..	60.00	
Principal's and teachers' salaries	8,352.00	\$4,200.00
Text books	250.00	125.00
Scholars' supplies	250.00	75.00
Flags and appurtenances	15.00	
Other expenses of instruction		60.00
Janitor service	493.00	
Fuel	833.00	150.00
Water, light and janitor supplies	53.00	
Minor repairs and expenses	400.00	50.00
Health supervision	225.00	25.00
Transportation of pupils	1,100.00	
High School tuitions		900.00
Elementary school tuitions ..	72.00	
Insurance	70.00	
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Total amount required for the above items	\$12,553.00	\$5,585.00

Estimate of tax of one-half of one percent of equalized valuation of the district	\$8,241.19
Additional money required for support of elementary schools	\$4,311.19
II Requirements to meet the Budget—	
(a) For support of elementary schools	\$12,553.00
(b) For payment of High School tuition ..	900.00
(c) For High School maintenance	4,685.00

Total for support of all schools	\$18,138.00
III School Board Report of assessment required	
1 For the support of school and the purchase of required books, supplies and flags, the payment of High School and Junior High School tuition, and for maintenance of High School	\$18,138.00
2 For payment of the \$2.00 per capita tax for state-wide supervision	528.00
IV Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget	\$18,666.00
Estimated income of District	
Balance June 30, 1927 (estimate)	\$900.00
State aid	1,616.09
Dog tax	200.00
Income from Trust Funds (estimate)	800.00
Elementary school tuitions...	200.00

	\$3,716.09

Assessment required for school Board's Budget	\$14,949.91

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE MERRIMACK
SCHOOL BOARD
(For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1926.)

Revenue

Assessments voted as follows:

For support of elementary schools, one-half of one percent of equalized valuation	\$8,241.19
For maintenance of high school	5,015.00
For tuition in high schools	1,442.00
For salaries of district officers	286.00
For \$2.00 per capita tax for state-wide super- vision	566.00
For repairing school property	400.00
For contingent requirements	600.00
Special fund for contingent use	100.00

Total amount raised by taxation

\$16,650.19

Revenue from other sources:

Balance June 30, 1925	\$1,428.14
State Aid fund	2,347.31
Dog tax fund	115.93
Sale of books	8.40
Refund from Ginn & Co.	8.86
Refund from State Board of Health	6.50
Elementary school tuitions from Hollis	17.00
Elementary school tuitions from Amherst	209.00
Elementary school tuitions from Bedford	118.00
Gage fund, income	726.40
Lawrence Fund, income	23.96
McClure Fund, income	22.58

Total revenue from other sources

\$5,032.08

Total revenue for school support

\$21,682.27

Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1926

School officers' salaries	\$216.00
Superintendent's excess salary	330.00
Truant officer and enumerator	35.00
Expenses of Administration:	
Elementary schools	36.90
Secondary school	23.25
Teachers' salaries, elementary schools	8,396.26
Textbooks:	
Elementary schools	210.50
Secondary school	113.63
School supplies:	
Elementary schools	289.01
Secondary school	54.35
Other expenses of instruction:	
Secondary School:	
Debate expense	8.93
Graduation music	38.00
Diploma expense .....	.50
Musical instruction	36.30
Janitor service, elementary schools	516.71
Fuel, elementary schools	1,373.55
Fuel, secondary school	300.17
Water, light and janitor supplies	40.95
Repairs:	
Elementary schools	649.49
Secondary school	180.77
Health Inspection	164.95
Transportation of pupils	1,236.75
Account Teachers' salaries at high school	4,350.00
Elementary school tuitions	58.00
Insurance	65.00
New equipment .....	.92
\$2.00 per capita tax for state-wide supervision	566.00
High school tuitions	984.30
Total elementary and secondary school expense	\$20,276.19

Revenue for support of schools	\$21,682.27
Expenditures for support of schools	20,276.19
Balance June 30, 1926	\$1,406.08

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

(For Fiscal Year July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926.)

Salaries of District Officers

Appropriation	\$286.00
Expended	216.00
Paid—	
David R. Jones, member of school board	\$50.00
Edwin M. Parker, member of school board	75.00
Norris E. Henderson, member of school board	50.00
Josiah Henderson, district treasurer	35.00
Harry Watkins, district moderator	2.00
Francis W. Bean, district clerk	2.00
Anson Platts, auditor	2.00

	\$216.00

Superintendent's Excess Salary

Appropriation	\$330.00
Paid—	
Karl E. Merrill, treasurer of supervisory union	\$330.00

Truant Officer and Enumerator

Paid—	
Angus Morrison	\$35.00

Expenses of Administration

Elementary Schools	
Paid—	
Karl E. Merrill, treasurer of union	\$9.00
F. E. Cole & Co., 500 report cards	3.50
E. M. Parker, telephone and postage expense..	3.90

Josiah Henderson, postage expense	10.20
Louis DeWitt Record, telephone and expense	10.30
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	\$36.90

Secondary School

A. H. Barbour, filling out diplomas	\$4.25
F. E. Cole & Co., graduation programs for 1925	10.00
F. E. Cole & Co., graduation programs for 1926	9.00
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	\$23.25
Total expense of administration	\$60.15

Teachers' Salaries

Paid—

Ida M. Cushing, district No. 3	\$1,000.08
Valeria Armstrong, District No. 3	885.10
Lorarge Thrembley, substitute, District No. 3..	12.00
Vera M. Whitcomb, District No. 4	900.00
Marion Butterfield, District No. 5	437.00
Myrabel Cordon, District No. 5	391.00
Eleanor G. Maiwald, District No. 6	828.00
Bertha P. Royce, District No. 7	828.00
Alberta J. Stevens, District No. 9	678.00
Mrs. Alberta J. Bruce, District No. 9	383.00
Dorothy E. Hardy, District No. 9	1,000.08
Gertrude Woodward, District No. 12	1,008.00
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	\$8,396.26

Text Books

Paid—

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$26.45
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.	4.80
Ginn & Co.	30.55
American Book Co.	26.29
Row, Peterson & Co.	8.23
Houghton Mifflin Co.	26.58
Charles E. Merrill Co.	4.74

Little, Brown & Co.	5.97
Silver, Burdett & Co.	14.96
World Book Co.	1.51
Longmans, Green & Co.	19.07
D. C. Heath & Co.	8.88
The Macmillan Co.	7.46
Scott, Foresman & Co.	2.31
The Arlo Publishing Co.	7.20
D. A. Fraser	12.90
Educational Publishing Co.	2.60

	\$210.50

Text Books

Secondary School

Paid—

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$15.19
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.	4.57
Ginn & Co.	17.47
American Book Co.	5.59
Oxford Book Co.	3.06
Mentzen Bush & Co.	6.37
Woodsville Foss, substitute agency	6.25
J. B. Lippincott Co.	14.10
D. C. Heath & Co.	15.33
The Macmillan Co.	17.34
Little, Brown & Co.	3.29
Schoenhof Book Co.	5.07

	\$113.63

School Supplies—Elementary Schools

Paid—

Milton Bradley Co.	\$94.03
Ham's & Gilpatric	70.06
Ryan & Baker	11.25
Philip Morris	27.73
Angus Morrison expense ....	.48
Fisk Bros. ....	.69

Wilbur D. Gilpatic	35.71
J. L. Hammett & Co.	28.17
J. B. Lippincott Co.	3.53
World Book Co.	17.36
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	\$289.01

School Supplies—Secondary School

Paid—

J. J. Newbury Co.	\$24.32
J. L. Hammett Co.	13.50
H. L. Jenkins	3.21
Beulah Huckins	5.63
Fred W. Hall	7.69
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	\$54.35

Other Expenses of Instruction—Secondary School

Paid—

Fred W. Hecker, graduation music	\$38.00
Fred W. Hall, expense of debates	8.93
A. H. Barbour50
Harry Whittemore, musical instruction	36.30
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	\$83.73

Janitor Service

Paid—

Paul Youngbauer, 2 years' service	\$72.00
Jessie Watkins	7.50
H. H. Acton	26.40
S. D. Hunt	170.35
Olonzo Beland	121.96
Joseph Lester	20.40
Walter Bishop	5.00
Edward Watkins	4.00
Arthur Herrick	35.25
Ernest Derochers	32.25
Albert Janness	21.60
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\$516.71

Fuel Expense—Elementary Schools

Paid—

Fessenden & Lowell, coal for 1925-1926	\$425.56
Norris E. Henderson, 21 cords wood	195.00
J. D. Gautier, sawing 7 cords wood	13.50
Daniel W. Proctor, fuel	55.62
Fessenden & Lowell, coal for 1926-1927	474.95
George Kellar, labor	8.00
Fessenden & Lowell, fuel	35.92
Gustave Pearson, 13 cords wood	120.00
Arthur Herrick, fuel	15.00
Norris Henderson, sawing wood	2.50
Peter Villeneuve, sawing 15 cords wood	27.50

	\$1,373.55

Fuel Expense—Secondary School

Paid—

Fessenden & Lowell, coal for 1925-1926	\$106.47
Mary E. Anderson, fuel	50.00
Peter Villeneuve, sawing wood	6.25
Fessenden & Lowell, coal for 1926-1927	137.45

	\$300.17

Water, Light and Janitor Supplies

Paid—

The Merrimack Co., water for 1925-1926	\$9.88
John B. Varick Co., supplies	5.04
Philip Morris, supplies	5.50
J. W. Morse, supplies .....	.60
H. L. Jenkins, supplies	17.43
Fisk Bros., supplies	2.50

	\$40.95

Expense of Repairs—Elementary Schools

Appropriation	\$400.00
Paid—	

F. D. Cook Co., for fence lumber	\$42.80
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Fessenden & Lowell, fence lumber	33.77
Mrs. Laura Putnam, labor at No. 12	7.09
Mrs. Howard Gamble, labor at Nos. 5 and 6	6.00
George Kellar, labor at No. 4	8.00
F. W. Watkins, labor	123.00
D. R. Jones, expense for supplies	192.50
John B. Varick Co., supplies	25.85
Norris E. Henderson, labor	4.00
D. R. Jones, expense	4.90
Norris E. Henderson, expense	3.90
Hattie M. Carroll, labor at No. 9	11.20
Stanley F. Carroll, labor at No. 9	3.15
H. H. Acton, labor at No. 3	24.60
Carl Hendrick, labor at No. 7	8.25
A. A. Mooney Furniture Co., window shades	32.00
Wm. Callbeck, labor	2.40
B. A. Curtis, labor and furnace supplies	24.25
Fisk Bros., supplies	15.19
Arthur Herrick, labor	3.00
Charles A. Hoitt Co., window shades	33.46
Wm. McQuesten, labor	26.65
Olonzo Beland, labor	8.62
Daniel Proctor, labor	2.00
Joseph Foster, labor	3.00

	\$649.49

Expense for Repairs—Secondary School

Paid—

Leslie Welch, labor	\$8.40
F. W. Watkins, labor	16.55
D. R. Jones, expense	6.14
Manchester Supply Co.	18.50
Joseph Watkins, labor and expense	11.13
Henry Hock, labor and supplies	120.25

	\$180.77

Health Inspection

Appropriation	\$250.00
Paid—	
Josie M. Merrill, services	\$164.95

Transportation

Paid—	
Charles French	\$486.75
Francis W. Bean	430.00
Milo Fisher	155.00
Mrs. Frances C. Merrill, board of child	165.00

	\$1,236.75

High School Maintenance

Appropriation	\$4,600.00
Paid—	
Joseph Henderson, Treasurer of McGaw Normal Institute trustees	\$4,350.00

Elementary School Tuitions

Paid—	
Bedford School Board	\$22.00
Amherst School Board	36.00

	\$58.00

High School Tuitions

Appropriations	\$1,442.00
Paid—	
City of Nashua for High School tuitions	\$850.80
City of Nashua for Junior High tuitions	133.50

	\$984.30

Insurance

Paid—	
The G. Allen Putnam Agency	\$65.00

State-Wide Supervision

Appropriation	\$566.00
Paid—	
State Treasurer	\$566.00

New Equipment

Paid—	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$0.92

EDWIN M. PARKER,
NORRIS E. HENDERSON,
DAVID R. JONES,
School Board of Merrimack.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

(In account with Merrimack School District.)

Dr.

Balance in treasury July 1, 1925	\$1,428.14
Received from:	
Town Treasurer, amount assessed for schools	16,650.19
Dog tax, 1925	115.93
Town of Amherst, tuition	209.00
Town of Bedford, tuition	118.00
Town of Hollis, tuition	17.00
State Equalization fund	2,347.31
State Board of Health, refund	6.50
Ginn & Co., refund	8.86
School Board, sale of books	8.40
Trustees of Trust Funds, Income from:	
Gage School funds	726.40
Henry Lawrence School fund	23.96
McClure School fund	22.58
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	\$21,682.27

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By orders drawn on treasury	\$20,276.19
By balance in treasury	1,406.08
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	\$21,682.27

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON,
School Treasurer.

June 30, 1926.

I have examined the foregoing report and find it correct and properly vouched.

ANSON A. PLATTS,
Auditor.

July 15, 1926

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MERRIMACK, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1926.

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Birthplace of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Mother
Nov. 4, 1899	Elizabeth H. Haseltine	F	John E. Haseltine	Amherst	Mabel L. Lowell	Brookline
Dec. 8, 1908	*Mary Kistlinger	F	Peter Kistlinger	Poland	Agnes Sydlowska	Poland
Mar. 28, 1910	Amy E. Schellenger	F	Robert J. Schellenger	Stockholm	Gertrude E. Chandler	Wilton
July 19, 1910	Lillian F. Bishop	F	Robert J. Schellenger	Stockholm	Gertrude E. Chandler	Wilton
June 28, 1922	Bishop	M	William Bishop	Merrimack	Delia Pearson	Bedford
Jan. 25, 1924	—	M	Harry Pirog	Poland	Martha Pitoska	Poland
Apr. 7, 1924	*Lillian M. Ruitter	F	James E. Ruitter	Canada	Lillian G. Norcen	Nebraska
Feb. 7, 1925	*Dorothy L. Flanders	F	Frank R. Flanders	Grantham	Flora Wise	Merrimack
Feb. 19, 1925	*Stanley Huisak, Jr.	M	Stanley Huisak	Poland	Sophia Bednar	Poland
Feb. 25, 1925	*Donald M. Colburn	M	Carroll C. Colburn	Goffstown	Mary Mercier	Biddeford, Me.
Mar. 15, 1925	Marylyn D. Bell	M	Arthur C. Bell	Haverhill, Mass.	Olive E. Wotton	Lowell, Mass.
May 6, 1925	Pirog	F	Harry Pirog	Poland	Martha Pitoska	Poland
May 18, 1925	*Rolland G. Hanson	M	Roland G. Hanson	Amherst	Roxie P. Bishop	Nashua
Aug. 8, 1925	*Donald E. Ruitter	M	James E. Ruitter	Canada	Lillian G. Norcen	Nebraska
Feb. 4, 1926	Winifred R. Dupell	F	Percy Dupell	No. Adams, Mass.	Annie Manning	Canada
Apr. 10, 1926	*Polly M. White	F	Rolla T. White	Rye Beach	Hazel L. Spalding	Merrimack
June 5, 1926	*Donald A. Dwinells	M	Frank D. Dwinells	Hopkinton	Gertrude Richardson	Peterboro
June 20, 1926	*Joseph A. R. Philbert	M	Arthur Philbert	No. Weare	Angeline Hall	Manchester
July 9, 1926	*Frank R. Flanders	M	Frank R. Flanders	Grantham	Flora Wise	Merrimack
July 14, 1926	*Hazel P. Patterson	F	Horace P. Patterson	Merrimack	Annie Linscott	Manchester
July 28, 1926	David A. Patterson	M	David A. Currie	Manchester	Velma Robertson	Scotland
July 31, 1926	Elinor P. Curtis	F	Edward R. Curtis	Wiltsbury	Salome Tokay	Russia
Sept. 13, 1926	Helen Drobish	F	Wabirizton Drobish	Russia	Grace E. Copp	Merrimack
Oct. 18, 1926	*Eleanor L. Upham	F	Harland W. Upham	Nashua	Augusta Babirk	New Brunswick
Oct. 22, 1926	*Forrest B. Bean	F	Francis W. Bean	Merrimack	Irida French	Amherst
Oct. 24, 1926	*Guy T. Raymond	F	Tracy L. Raymond	Goffstown	Lucia Cyr	Maine
Nov. 23, 1926	Lucy Silver	M	Edmond Silver	Littleton	Marion Dow	Hollis
Dec. 6, 1926	*Franklyn R. Torrey	M	Lester W. Torrey	Boston, Mass.	Delia Pearson	Bedford
Dec. 21, 1926	*Evelyn M. Bishop	F	William Bishop	Fremont	Yvonne Lecuyer	Manchester
Dec. 24, 1926	*Paul E. Carter	M	Charles H. Carter	Peacock	Anna Prokayuk	Austria, Po.
	Pirog, S. B.	F	Domonic Pirog	Austria, Poland		

* before the Child's name indicates Birth took place in Nashua.

** before the Child's name indicates Birth took place in Manchester.

The foregoing is a true return of all the Births returned in the town of Merrimack for the year ending Dec. 31, 1926.

Attest:

DAVID R. JONES, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MERRIMACK, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1926.

	Date of Marriage	Name of Bride and Groom	Age	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Birthplace of Each	Names of Parents	By Whom Married and Place of Marriage
	1926						
May 9	Tracy I. Raymond	30	Merrimack	Goffstown	Levi Raymond	Charles S. Haynes	
	Hilda A. French	16	Merrimack	Amherst	Arville Richards	Clergyman	
	Percy Hodges	29	Boston, Mass.	Milton, Mass.	Charles H. French	Merrimack	
	Eugenia T. Smith	24	Boston, Mass.	Newton, Mass.	Jennie E. Longa		
July 24	Franklin L. Haseline	30	Merrimack	Merrimack	Percy Hodges		
	Bertha M. Hawkins	25	Plymouth	Ashland	Amy Dennis		
	James W. Adams	58	Merrimack	Londonderry, Eng.	John E. Smith	John E. Smith	
	Catherine E. Weeks	71	Merrimack	Manchester	Mabel E. Haseltine	Leon M. Attkin	
Sept. 4	Edward F. Craig	24	Marlboro, Mass.	Marlboro, Mass.	Mabel L. Lowell	Clergyman	
	Thelma E. Lewis	20	Marlboro, Mass.	Marlboro, Mass.	Ned G. Huckins	Plymouth	
	Carl W. Bergfors	25	Quincy, Mass.	Quincy, Mass.	Eva Carr		
Oct. 4	Dorothy L. Hoffman	19	Merrimack	Merrimack	James Adams	Percy W. Caswell	
					Anna Belworthy	Clergyman	
					Daniel Kilby	Manchester	
					Frank H. Craig	John W. Wright	
					Emma A. Alley	Clergyman	
					Beni F. Lewis	Merrimack	
					Mabel P. Putnam		
					Eric G. Bergfors	John W. Wright	
					Sarah M. Graue	Clergyman	
					Louis Hoffman	Merrimack	
					Grace M. Jones		

Oct.	22	Charles H. Fraser	57	Merrimack	Danville, Can.	Bernard Fraser	J. Wesley Rafter
		Rose V. Wegman	51	Lynn, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Annie McLean	Clergyman Manchester
Nov.	14	Moody J. Richardson	25	Manchester	Milis, Mass.	Elmer L. Richardson	John W. Wright
		Ruth S. Watson	25	Lynn, Mass.	Norfolk, Mass.	Eliza J. Mixer	Clergyman Wilton
Nov.	23	Bradford M. Dunn	24	Lowell, Mass.	Taunton, Mass.	Steven C. Watson	Grace M. Clark
		Virginia Sweet	25	Lowell, Mass.	Mansfield, Mass.	John H. Dunn	John W. Wright
Nov.	25	Luther C. Flanders	28	Worcester, Mass.	Franklin	Mary A. Trickett	Clergyman Merrimack
		Evelyn C. Budde	19	Nashua	Webster, Mass.	Edward J. Sweet	Nashua
Dec.	8	Claude C. Graves	45	Nashua	Redford, N. Y.	Clara Cypher	Jennie B. Geddes
		Dorothy M. Watkins	19	Merrimack	Merrimack	Charles Gravells	Lawrence L. Barber
June	16	Percy Q. Morse	23	Merrimack	Merrimack	Clara Mitchell	Clergyman Merrimack
		Edith N. Buswell	26	Bedford	Bedford	Thomas H. Watkins	Harriet Cummings
Aug.	18	Clayton A. Read	21	Merrimack	Merrimack	James W. Morse	Charles E. Beals
		Barbara Buzzell	19	Nashua	Amherst	Ella E. Ireland	Clergyman Manchester
						Eugene F. Buswell	Imogene M. Langley
						Clayton F. Read	John G. Conell
						Annie M. Porter	Clergyman Chelmsford, Mass.
						William Buzzell	Emily Cummings

I hereby certify that the foregoing return of Marriages for the town of Merrimack, is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Attest:

DAVID R. JONES, Town Clerk

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MERRIMACK, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1926.

Date of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Death	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Mar. 7	Charles A. Roberts	69	Flushing, N. Y.	M	.....	.....
Apr. 15	Maria R. Walker	89	Flushing, N. Y.	M	James B. Greeley, M. D.	Arabella M. Wood
May 30	Guy H. Greely, M. D.	57	Penacook Mass.	M	Joel A. Cushing	Mary A. Severance
July 13	Mary A. Adams	75	Penacook	F	Sanborn Sleeper	Hannah Gillis
July 21	Ellen Wheeler	90	Nashua	F	Peter Monast	Elizabeth Watkins
July 25	Marguerite F. Monast	4	Mos. Boston, Mass.	F	Elbridge G. Welch	Melina Robinson
Aug. 14	Elbridge R. Welch, Sr.	65	Boston, Mass.	M	Phiney, Wright	Anna Prokyuk
Sept. 5	Clara C. Seymour	77	Boston, Mass.	F	Dominic Pirog .....	.....
Dec. 24	..... Pirog	86	Lowell, Vt.	F	Elijah P. Parkhurst	Sallie J. Gage
1927	George S. Parkhurst	86	Merrimack	F	.....	.....
Jan. 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

DEATHS REGISTERED ELSEWHERE, BURIAL IN MERRIMACK.

Date of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Death	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1926	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jan. 21	Victor E. Kochler	60	Springfield, Mass.	M	John L. Read	Lucy A. Green
Apr. 13	Lewis J. Read	75	Nashua	M	Joseph West	Rebecca Pike
Apr. 23	George W. M. West	80	Amherst, Vt.	F	George Drew	Emily Sherburn
May 4	Emily V. Osgood	86	BrADFORD, Vt.	F	.....	.....
May 27	Medorah Woodward	64	Somerville, Mass.	F	.....	.....
June 1	John T. Smith	83	Chelmsford, Mass.	M	.....	.....
Sept. 20	Octave Peon	83	Cambridge, Mass.	M	.....	.....
Sept. 25	John D. Fraser	61	New London, Ct.	F	Abial Holt	Betsy King
Nov. 11	Martha J. Green	78	Nashua	M	Henry M. Carroll	Nellie King
Nov. 22	Frank B. Carroll	52	Nashua	M	.....	.....

I hereby certify that the foregoing return of Deaths and Burials in the town of Merrimack is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DAVID R. JONES, Town Clerk.

Attest:

